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## Muncie Will Be Host To Indiana Eagles June 12-14

**Eight Thousand Are Expected To Attend Annual Convention; Guy Meyers, Delaware Co. Auditor Is President of State Lodge; Fine Program Has Been Arranged; Warm Welcome Is Extended Visitors.**

Muncie has the reputation of being an exceptionally good host and is expecting over 8,000 persons to be its guest during the annual convention of the Indiana Aerie of Eagles to be held here June 12-14. Gus Meyers, Delaware Co. Auditor, is president of the Indiana lodge and will have charge of all business sessions. Mr. Meyers has been working diligently for several weeks preparing for the entertainment of these visitors and hopes that his home will join in making it a success.

The program as now arranged is as follows:

**Thursday, June 12**  
7:30-8:00 p. m.  
Entertainment.

8:00 p. m.  
Open meeting, presided over by Prosecutor Attorney Thomas A. Cannon.

Song, "America"—Audience.  
Invocation—Very Rev. Felix Seroczynski, pastor St. Lawrence Catholic church.

Address of Welcome—Mayor Ira J. Wilson.

Remarks—Martin A. Erlenbach, Pres. Muncie Aerie.

Response, on behalf of State Aerie—August D. Meyers, State President.

Address—Dr. Fred C. Dilley, Past Grand Worthy President, present.

Address—John A. Abel, Past Grand Worthy President, present.

Grand Secretary.

Benediction—Rev. Arthur W. McDavitt, pastor St. John's Universalist church.

Entertainment.

9:00 p. m. to 12  
Dancing at Eagles' Home for members and families only.

**Friday, June 13**  
9:00 a. m.  
Registration of delegates at Roberts Hotel.

11:30 a. m.  
Convention called to order by State President, August D. Meyers.

11:30 a. m. to 12:15 p. m.  
Special address (by order of State Aerie)—Speaker furnished by Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Recess.

1:30 p. m.  
Convention reconvened.

Prayer by State Chaplain.

Announcements.

Appointment of Committees.

Report of State Secretary of Evansville Convention.

Report of Credentials Committee.

Report of State Officers.—(a) State President; (b) State Secretary; (c) State Treasurer.

Report of Grand Aerie Delegate—Past State President Roy G. Luchman, Michigan City.

Report of Organizing Department—State Organizer Ray C. Brock.

Report of District Chairmen.

New Business; Good of the Order, and nomination of State Officers.

3:30 p. m.  
School for Secretaries, Treasurers and Trustees of Subordinate Aeries—Conducted by Ray C. Brock.

6:30 p. m.  
Stag banquet at Roberts Hotel.

9 p. m. to 1 a. m.  
Entertainment and dance at Eagles' Home for members and families only.

**Saturday, June 14**  
8:00 a. m.  
Drawing for order of appearance of Ritualistic and Drill Competitive Teams—Men and women (Men's work at Y. W. C. A.; Women's

work at Eagles' Home).

9:00 a. m.  
Convention called to order by State President.

Prayer by State Chaplain.

Report of communications.

10:00 a. m.  
Address—Frank E. Hering, Past Grand Worthy President.

Report of Committees—Credentialed, Good of the Order, Auditing, Judiciary, Budget, Social, Security, Grievance and Appeals, Publicity, Resolution, Constitution and By-Laws.

11:00 a. m.  
Address—Dr. Fred C. Dilley, Past Grand Worthy President.

New Business.

Unfinished Business.

Election of State Officers.

Selection of Delegate to Grand Aerie Convention.

Selection of place of next Convention.

Installation of officers.

Closing in Regular Form.

5:00 p. m.  
Convention parade forms at 6 o'clock.

Field House, moves promptly at 6 p. m. to 1 a. m.

Convention Ball and Floor Show at Eagles' Home for members and families only.

Life On Yacht

Easy Approach

To Geography

Port Myers, Fla.—Gipsy Waters, 17-year-old daughter of Don Waters, adventure story author, has spent most of her life aboard a 50-foot sailing schooner.

The family recently purchased a cabin in the mountains of Tennessee, but they still spend most of their time aboard their boat, also named the Gipsy Waters. And Miss Waters loves the life on the water.

"It's really fun to get your geography at first hand," she says. "In the ports of the eastern seaboard we find something different. We have been as far south as the true tropics. I had lots of fun riding the huge Galapagos turtle."

Gipsy studies as she travels, under Mrs. Waters' tutoring. It is not a public school curriculum, but she studies a wide range of subjects and knows far more of nature study than the average pupil who goes to school.

Should you marry HIM? Love may be blind as a bat, but Judith T. Chase, well-known quiz expert, has worked out a bit of Braille that takes the guesswork out of husband-picking, and if you're on the verge of the fatal step you'd better let her guide you. Don't miss this novel, clever questionnaire in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next week's Sunday Chicago Herald-American.

Where animals do all the work. Remarkable story of the Russian mystic who trained his pets by hypnotism, rescued the animals from a Soviet butcher, and started a model 4-legged Communist farm in a Siberian forest. Read about it in The American Weekly the magazine distributed with next week's Sunday Chicago Herald-American.

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## KAISER'S BURIAL TO BE IN EXILE

**Body Of Wilhelm II Will Repose in Doorn Chapel Holland**

Berlin, June 6.—Former Kaiser Wilhelm II, ruler of World War Germany who died at Doorn, will be buried in exile.

The official German news agency said the head of the royal house of Hohenzollern would be buried Monday in the chapel of Doorn castle, where he had lived almost since the day he had left Germany, Nov. 10, 1918, a day before the World War armistice.

At the request of the ex-kaiser, whom a well-informed Nazi described as being the "representative of an important period of German history" although he was not in recent years "A German personality," DNB said, only the closest members of the royal family will attend the funeral.

During the later years of his exile he had expressed a wish to be buried on German soil—either at the white gallery in Potsdam, where Frederick the Great lies, or near the ancestral castle at the village of Zollern.

It was believed that representatives of Adolf Hitler would attend the funeral and that wreaths would be sent by the government.

"In our human sorrow," the newspaper Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung commented, "We Germans find satisfaction in the fact that it was granted to the last German Kaiser of the Second Reich in his 83rd year that he be the witness of a new revival, which is assured of completion with the new means at our disposal."

Indiana Farm Bureau

Leading Last Year

by 4,700 Members

Membership reports from the American Farm Bureau Federation with officers in Chicago, indicate the Indiana Farm Bureau membership now exceeds that the same period in 1940 by more than 4,700, according to Larry Brandon, director of organization for the Indiana bureau. The organization recently set up in Crawford county was the last county in the state without an active unit.

The increased membership in Indiana is comparative to the whole of the nation which now is approximately a half million farm families in more than 40 states.

"This increase in membership in Indiana is significant of renewed interest among farmers, for the national defense program has called many farmers from their home interests, thus making fewer people actively engaged in agriculture," Mr. Brandon points out. "On the other hand, the war situation has brought forcefully to the attention of farmers that without definite organization and action, farm people will suffer inequalities from the national program."

Horse Breeders

Offer Guide

in Color Chart

Columbus, O.—Color fads in horses may result from a more general understanding of simple genetic principles, according to Dr. Carl W. Gray, professor of animal husbandry at Ohio State University.

No complicated technique of breeding for color is involved, Dr. Gray said. Dominant color characteristics always are manifested, he explained, and recessive characteristics only when a dominant is absent or when the recessive characteristic is inherited from both parents.

In decreasing order of dominance, Dr. Gray has listed the following horse colors: Roan, gray, dun, bay, black and chestnut. For example, a chestnut horse mated with any other pure color horse will produce a foal other than chestnut. Broken colors, like piebald, are dominant over solid colors.

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## DISPELLING THE FOG

By Charles Michelson

It has been the cry of the isolationists, and their fellow travelers, that every measure that indicated our sympathy with the anti-Nazi powers would "bring us into war."

When it became evident that the original neutrality measure was working toward our own disadvantage, and its Congressional debates that repeal meant our entrance into the European conflict.

When-in conformity with the repeal, the lend-lease bill was up, we were similarly warned by the opponents of that measure that it would be construed as a war-like act and again that we were imperilled by the threat of war.

When we traded a lot of superannuated destroyers for a number of air and naval bases in British possessions, requisite for our defense, the anti-administration orators again proclaimed that this brought us into the conflict—plus numerous dire prophecies of what might come.

When it became known that we were establishing a patrol line along the trade routes which paralleled, or at least crossed, the sea lanes which our supplies to the forces of democracy, authorized under the lend-lease bill were moving—that was declared to be a camouflaged convoy system; and once more the solemn word was spoken that this was an act of war.

Now We Have the Convoy System

Well, Congress enacted the required legislation in each case, where legislation was necessary, and still war did not come. Nor did it come when we seized the Nazi and Fascist ships in our ports to stop the sabotage that was already under way. The seizure was done under laws that had been on our statute books for a quarter of a century, and for his incitement of the sabotage we asked the recall of the Italian military attaché. All that that brought was the demand for the recall of our corresponding attaché at Rome, and a series of protests.

Just now the question of actual convoys, to insure that what we send to the allies be not sent to the bottom of the sea instead, is being widely discussed. At this writing, no formal convoy legislation or project has appeared, but there have been numerous speeches and statements on the subject, both by officials of the Government and by the opponents of the administration.

For example, ex-President Hoover declared on May 11 that: "It is now proposed that we should put the American Navy into action, \* \* \* which boldly makes clear the meaning of words like convoys or patrols, \* \* \* and that is war for long years to come."

Mr. Hoover's position is that we can best help England by rushing her the bombers and other munitions and equipment she needs. He says nothing in regard to the destruction en route, of the vessels carrying such aid.

Senator Taft's contribution along this line was to tell the Senate that the administration was edging toward a convoy system, "which will mean war to the United States." Senator Wheeler announced that convoy "means war." Senator Nye put it that convoying shipments to England would mean "immediate involvement in war as soon as it is practiced."

Now, I wonder what makes these statesmen so certain that convoying—if it comes to that—inevitably brings about war?

The Historic Parallel

Our own history does not bear out such deduction. Back more than a century, when we did not have a navy, President Adams asked for war ships to defend our commerce. France at that time had a world-wide blockade against England, which was drawing supplies from America. Congress responded by ordering the construction of all sorts of battle craft and the purchase of anything that was loose that could be made fit for combat. Such veteran naval men as had served in the Revolutionary War, were put in command, as far as they went, and merchant captains were recruited to take the quarter-deck of the others. Then we sailed out on convoy duty. For some years we took prizes, and they took prizes. Frequently our vessels were in combat with the French Navy. We sunk quite a few of the French ships, both naval and private, and captured others, among them the big frigate L'Insurgente, which surrendered after the Constellation had hit her with a few broadsides, killing and wounding seventy of her crew. We sent the prize home, patched up the damaged hull and shattered rigging, and added her to our naval list, and the American frigate Insurgent thereafter performed under the American flag against the commerce destroyers.

We even bombarded one or two French ports in the West Indies—and still there was no war.

We jumped in when a French force assailed the Dutch island of Curacao, and battled the forts held by the French, finally driving the invaders away—and still there was no war. And when Napoleon came into power we straightened out our differences with France, restored to them such of their warships as we had taken—the Insurgent had been wrecked before the accord—and that was the last of the episode.

Of course, it does not follow that Herr Hitler would pursue the French precedent, but, when the trouble of a century ago was on, France had a bigger navy relatively than the Fuehrer has now. Napoleon, with his campaign in prospect, probably figured that it would not be wise to have even the then infant United States against him and perhaps, again, Hitler might feel the same way now. Then we had to improvise a navy—actually, to fell the oak and cedar trees to build our frigates. Now we have the finest navy afloat, and are turning out aircraft by thousands to match—or overmatch—the Nazi output of the new war weapon. Undoubtedly, the Fuehrer is exasperated at our aid to England, but whether he is likely to risk our active participation in ridding the sea of his submarines and meeting their flying bomber accessories with the huge flocks of super-bombers and other fighting planes we are turning out, is doubtful, at least.

Gasoline Dollar

Gives More Pleasure

"I believe that when a man takes his family out for an airing on Sunday afternoon in his second-hand jalopy, the happiness that results from that outing is wholly different from the pleasure that would result if the father of the family, instead of spending his dollar for motor fuel, spent it for

liquor on Saturday night. The laughter of the children in the back seat bears no comparison with the boisterous merriment in the back room.—Congressman John M. Houston of Kansas.

BARGE BRINGS WINDFALL

Greenhills, R. I.—Great was the rejoicing along this shore when the beached barge Katherine How and broke up and spewed 900 tons of coal on the sand to solve the heating problems of many families.

## Anti-Trailer Ordinance Passed By City Council

### CALL LEE BAIRD TO FIFTH TERM

**County School Superintendent Is One Of State's Best**

The twelve township trustees of Delaware county met last Monday morning in the county auditor's office and re-elected Lee Baird as county superintendent of schools for another four year term. Mr. Baird to defense problems which school superintendent during nearly four terms and is considered very competent in his office. He was without opposition for the office when re-appointed last Monday.

The twelve township trustees of Delaware county include John Kinney of Center township which includes the city of Muncie, Charles Simonson of Mt. Pleasant township, Raymond Shirey, Salem township, Ward S. Young, Monroe, Carl Moore, Harrison, Victor Bryan, Washington, Charles Weaver, Niles, Virgil Buble, Liberty, Roscoe Wingette, Delaware township, Ralph Hiatt, Perry, C. C. Shuler, Union, and Lowell Stafford.

Seven of the above trustees are Republicans and five are Democrats. Two of the Democrats, Carl Moore and Charles Weaver, are serving their second terms which will eliminate them from seeking re-election next year inasmuch as a trustee may only serve two successive terms. Bryan, Shuler, and Simonson are serving their first terms as trustees of Washington, Union, and Mt. Pleasant townships, respectively.

Six of the above Republican trustees are serving their first terms while Wingette of Delaware township will complete his second term next year. All township trustee elections will be held next year along with the regular county, district, and state elections.

LABOR GROUPS

DIRECT SCHOOL

Institute Is Being Held At Ball State College

Approximately 200 men and women, from all parts of the state, are in attendance at the third annual Education Institute of the Indiana Federation of Labor, which opened today in the Arts Building of Ball State college.

Registration began at 10 a. m. At 10:30 the meeting was called to order by Ed Hubbard, president of the Muncie Central Labor Union. L. A. Pittenger, president of the college, welcomed the guests.

"Get Acquainted" hour was observed from 11 a. m. until noon, with Robert L. Frey as chairman and Joe Kowalski as the leader.

John J. Martin will be chairman of the session which opens Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. The afternoon session, which will start at 1:30 o'clock will be in the form of a conference.

Sunday's sessions will open at 9:30 o'clock, the program being devoted to defense problems which face unions. The morning session will continue until 1 p. m. when the convention will adjourn.

The institute is being conducted through the cooperation of the Muncie Central Labor Union, Ball College, and the Muncie schools.

Dick R. Sammons

Dies Very Suddenly

From Heart Attack

Death came suddenly to Dick R. Sammons, local furnace man, last Saturday afternoon at the age of 57. He suffered a heart attack after a usual active day, and died before a physician could be summoned. His death came as a shock to his relatives, friends and neighbors for he had been in robust health and had not complained up to the day of his death.

He had been identified all his life as an ardent Democratic worker and will be greatly missed by members of his party. He was a genial person and possessed an unusual wit that made him hundreds of friends who will mourn his passing. Dick was very conscientious in all his business dealings. He is survived by the wife, Mrs. Pearl Sammons, son Roger, also a sister residing in Battle Creek, Michigan.

His body was laid to rest in the family plot in Elwood, Ind.

Australia has a campaign against fake astrologers.

**Must Not Be Located In City Limits Unless 300 Feet From Any Residence; Vehicles Lessen Property Values and Add Little Revenue for Taxes; Joseph H. Davis, Re-elected To City School Board.**

The city council met last Monday night in regular session and passed the anti-trailer ordinance together with re-electing Joseph H. Davis for another term on the city school board. The approved ordinance prohibits the use and occupancy of house cars or trailers within the city limits unless they be located more than 300 feet from any residence. The act was signed by the mayor Thursday and after legal publication the ordinance will become effective.

It was contended by those who vis has served one three year term on the board and will begin his second term this year following his re-election last Monday night. Davis is treasurer of the local school board and an officer of the National Association of School Board Members.

While the election of Joe Davis meets with general approval because of his earnest work and interest demonstrated during his past three years of service, it still leaves the local school board with three Republican members. It is so provided by law that not more than two members of the school board shall be affiliated with the same political party. The board now consists of E. Arthur Ball, president, Davis and William T. Haymond.

The last Democrat to occupy a position on the school board was Vernon G. Davis who died over one year ago. Ball was elected by the council during the Bunch administration to serve as a Democratic member but his activities in politics have been definitely identified with the Republican party. Ball was chosen as a delegate to the Democratic National convention last year but openly announced himself in favor of Wendell Willkie, GOP candidate for President, during the campaign last fall.

An opportunity to elect a Democrat will face the council next year but it is presumed that the present Republican city council will take advantage of the excuse that Ball was elected as a Democrat and re-name him in order to keep the local school board one hundred per cent within their party ranks.

DELAWARE COUNTY BOARD OF

REVIEW BEGINS WORK TODAY

The county board of tax review began its thirty day session last Monday morning. Members of the board this year are County Assessor Wilbur Van Arsdale, Auditor Gus Meyers, Treasurer Lester E. Holloway, Elmer Williamson and William M. Millikan, both appointed by Judge Clarence Higi.

The board members were sworn in Monday morning and began checking mortgage exemptions filed by real estate taxpayers throughout the county. Mortgage exemptions are allowed up to \$1,000 by those who file for the same providing the assessed valuations of their property total \$2,000 or more, and a mortgage is sworn to on the property of \$1,000 or more.

Wherever the assessed valuation of real estate is less than \$2,000, only one-half of the total valuation may be allowed for a mortgage exemption to the taxpayer. Non-residents of Indiana who own property here are not entitled to a mortgage exemption. Taxpayers cannot receive a mortgage exemption in this county and an additional amount in any other county or city of the state.

The board of review attempts to equalize taxable assessments and conducts hearings for those taxpayers who have petitioned for a reduction in their valuations. The allowance of mortgage exemptions will require at least ten days before the board will be able to exercise its duty of authorizing adjustments in personal property assessments and real estate appraisals where petitions have been filed by dissatisfied taxpayers.

The review board will remain in session during the month of June. They meet in an adjoining room from the county auditor's office. The county auditor serves as secretary or clerk of the board.

GRADUATION WEEK IN MUNCIE

This is graduation week in Muncie. There were 410 members of the Central high school class of '41 who received diplomas Thursday evening on the steps of the Art Building of Ball State, in what was probably the most impressive high school commencement ever held in Muncie.

In a short, but inspiring address, Dr. Hans Leonhardt of Chicago, refugee from the former free city of Danzig, informed the young graduates that they were not only the hope of America but the hope of the entire world.

He spoke reverently of the American flag which he said would soon be his flag. "Your flag is not only one of a mighty nation but it signifies the hope of the depressed for word of peace and freedom."

During the exercises a check for \$4,000 was presented to the Muncie public schools by R. F. Bevens, local manager of Sears, Roebuck and Company, to be used for the erection of a Stadium on the west side of the Field House Grounds. The gift was accepted by Joseph H. Davis, treasurer of the school board.

The announcement of awards was made by Mr. R. D. Shaffer, principal of Central High, after which diplomas were presented to the graduates.

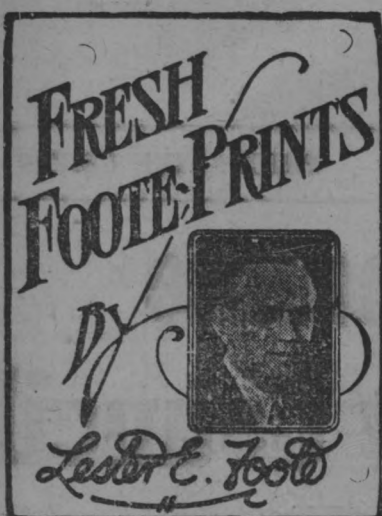
## MEXICAN GOVERNMENT TO SETTLE

A Washington weekly news publication states that we may expect the State Department soon to make the announcement that the Mexican Government has agreed to settle with all our citizens who had claims against the Mexican government because of that government's confiscations of American investments and property in Mexico.

The news item goes on to state that an RFC loan is expected to be made to the Mexican government to liquidate these claims which cover both oil and private property confiscated by the Mexican government last year. In other words the United States government will have to loan Mexico the money with which to settle the claims of our citizens.

This should give the people of this country some idea of the vital decisions President Roosevelt is forced to make. On one hand he must retain the friendship of Mexico and on the other appease this all important financial group at home. To put the matter simply the taxpayers of United States will have to pay back all that was lost by these investors in Mexican investments. The American taxpayer has to take a lot of punishment.





"There is no favorable wind for the man who does not know exactly to what port he is steering."

In Chicago an examining board physician passed a draftee as being physically fit for the army who afterwards proved to the Board that he had one wooden leg.

The British Government is not taking Rudolph Hess and his story very seriously but treating him quite similar to any other German military officer prisoner or spy.

Japan is talking about making a peace with China. For four years the Japanese have been fighting an unsuccessful war with China. Now Japan would like to get out loose from China and attack British Singapore or the Dutch East Indies.

People are complaining about the extravagance in the building of the new defense plants. These are being built under a contract that pays cost plus a ten per cent profit. Under this plan it is more profitable to the contractor to have a greater carpenter cut a 2-foot piece out of the middle of a 12-foot plank than it would be to pick up a two-foot piece from the scrap heap. And a lazy worker is more profitable than a good hand because it makes the job last much longer. A common laborer makes \$25 for five hours and if he works eight hours a day for the entire week including Saturday and Sunday he gets a weekly check for \$42.50. Skilled laborers of various kinds make from \$40 to \$100 weekly.

The United States Treasury Department proposes a two-cent tax on checks.

Airplane production in the United States is now up to 1,427 planes per month and still going higher.

Congress has approved an 85 per cent party farm loan bill. This will mean a bigger grocery bill each month. Tobacco and rice are already selling above parity prices. Real estate, especially farm land, is advancing sharply. Prices of most everything are expected to rise steadily.

A new tube type light has been developed that gives off more germ destroying rays than the summer sun. These new lights are being installed in hospital restaurants, and other places where air-borne bacteria are found.

The Indian population in the United States is on the increase and it is predicted that within the next forty years there will be 700,000 Indians in the United States and that will be about the same number as were estimated to be here when Columbus discovered America.

Canada does not have military conscription and perhaps with U. S. support for Britain they can get along without a draft.

Sixty-seven-year-old Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes is the proud father of a new baby daughter. This is the second child born to the Secretary and his young second wife. The other child, a son, was born in 1937. Mr. and Mrs. Ickes were married in 1938.

Alvin C. York, who has long been claimed to be the number one hero of the World War, has only a second grade education. He is protesting against new government regulations that require all military men to have at least a fourth-grade education.

Under the Selective Service Act the conscript must have a month free from pyorrhea or other infection and at least six teeth in the upper jaw with six directly below them in the lower jaw, including both his incisors and molars.

Warts are most common on people from sixteen to twenty years of age. The average life of a wart is about three years. Warts are not caused by toads and can be removed by a capable physician. Men who are registered in the present draft are subject to call until the expiration of the Conscript Act on May 15, 1945.

The buyers of meat for the United States Army prefer heavy cattle. It is expected that heavy cattle in the future will find a more profitable sale.

Five hundred American doctors have volunteered their services to the British cause. This was in answer to the President's call for one thousand.

In modern warfare, one hundred trained physicians may be more valuable than one million infantrymen, according to noted Physician Arthur H. Compton of Chicago. A physician is one that is an authority on different forms of energy.



## What's New in Cooking

**A Meal In Garden Time**

SPRING is a busy season for all garden enthusiasts. And when the out-of-doors beckons, even the window-box gardener finds it doubly important to plan meals that can be prepared without too much attention.

One of the staunchest allies in a "less-time-in-the-kitchen" campaign is the thrifty deep well cooker, which is now part of the standard equipment of almost all electric ranges. Whole meals—the meat, vegetables and dessert—can be prepared in these cookers—all at one time.

Food cooked in the deep well cooker of an electric range, moreover, requires almost no watching while it is cooking, a fact which makes this Swedish Dinner an ideal one to plan for a gardening afternoon. To prepare it, place a beef tongue (see recipe for preliminary preparation), six large potatoes and a fresh strawberry about-to-be-steamed pudding in the cooker. After the tongue is cooked, a special Swedish sauce is made with the broth. So, instead of the three surface units and the oven which this meal would require if prepared in the usual manner, all the heat necessary to cook the whole meal is provided by the one cooker unit, and it is set at an economical low speed. But here are the recipes for the Swedish dinner:

**Swedish Dinner (Serves 6)**

1 beef tongue (about 2½ lbs.)  
2 teaspoons salt  
1 carrot  
1 stalk celery  
6 large potatoes

Wipe tongue with damp cloth. Place in deep well cooker with salt, carrot, celery, and enough water to just cover the tongue (about 3 cups). Cover cooker and set switch to a high heat. When steam comes from vent turn to the lowest heat that will maintain steaming and cook for 1½ hours. Then open cooker and arrange potatoes around

Physics includes mechanics, heat, light, electricity, etc.

Forty or fifty years is the average life of a pair of wooden shoes worn by the natives of the Netherlands.

The law in Columbia County, Wisconsin, forbids anyone younger than 55, unless crippled, to use or carry a cane.

A survey of 200 stores in New York City and a number of stores in other leading cities proved that it was no advantage to merchants to have Thanksgiving moved ahead one week. Thanksgiving according to President Roosevelt will come on November 20th this year but beginning in 1942 Thanksgiving will

## Legal Notice

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Board of Public Works and Safety of the City of Muncie, Indiana, will, at the office of the Board of Public Works and Safety at the City Building in said City of Muncie, up to the hour of 2:00 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, the 11th day of June, 1941, receive sealed proposals for the purchase and removal of the following:

Rails, overhead lines and wires, and poles located in public streets of said City of Muncie, and formerly owned by Indiana Railroad.

Specifications and conditions showing estimated quantities and governing the removal of said property, which shall be binding upon the successful bidder, are on file in the office of said Board. Each bidder shall accompany his bid with an affidavit of non collusion and with a satisfactory bond or certified check equal to the aggregate amount of his bid on the basis of said estimated quantities guaranteeing the faithful performance of his bid in the event of award being made to him.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Board of Public Works and Safety  
By WILBUR A. FULL, Clerk

May 30, June 6

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## NEWS GATHERED IN WHEEL CHAIR

Canby, Ore.—George Nelson can't walk because his back is broken and he can't use his paralyzed fingers to hit typewriter keys, but still he is an able country "leg-man" reporter for the Oregon City Enterprise.

A hundred friends contributed a dollar each the other day and bought Nelson a new electric wheel chair, with three balloon tires and powered by storage batteries. A turn of an electric switch takes him to ball games and events which he covers for the morning daily, published a dozen miles north of here.

He frequently uses a telephone which is rigged to his bed to send out news. He uses a typewriter, but not with his fingers. He pecks out the words with an old-fashioned half-curler with a rubber tip at the end.

Nelson, who is 23, was injured when he dived from a piling into the shallow Molalla river one hot July day in 1932. He was tutored through the junior class in high school and he patiently learned to operate a typewriter that a friend gave him. But he was still tied to his bed except when he could get someone to push him in an ordinary wheel chair.

Now an "electric wagon" serves as his legs and he can move about at will for the first time in nine physically helpless years.

## Poor Lighting Held To Cause Vision Defects

Hartford, Conn.—Defective eyesight—largely due to poor lighting in homes and classrooms—has resulted in more than 20 per cent of eligible American youths being barred from the nation's armed forces, it was reported here at a conference of illuminating engineers.

Addressing delegates to the Northeastern Regional Conference of the Illuminating Engineering Society, O. P. Cleaver, lighting engineer for the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co., said inadequate and misplaced lighting is helping create a "nation of visual misfits."

"Selective service boards through out the country are turning away 9 per cent of all draftees because of eyesight defects," Cleaver declared. "Another 13 per cent of those passed by local boards later are rejected by army medical examiners for the same reason."

Cleaver added that 20 out of every 100 children are deprived of normal vision before they leave grade and high schools and that 40 per cent of all college students wear or are in need of eyeglasses.

Many a man who has an exalted opinion of himself is a poor judge of human nature.

## Legal Notice

State of Indiana ss:  
Delaware County ss:  
In the Matter of the Petition of Robert Edwards to Change Name of the Delaware Circuit Court April Term, 1941  
No. 13397  
**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF NAME**  
Notice is hereby given that I have applied to the Delaware Circuit Court of said County and State to have my name changed from Robert Edwards to that of Robert Edwards, Jr. and said petition and application will be presented to and heard by said Court on the 8th day of July, 1941.  
Dated this 6th day of June, 1941.  
JUNE 6-13-20  
ROBERT EDWARDS

## Legal Notice

**NOTICE TO PAINT CONTRACTORS**

Specifications are now available in Room 226, Central High School Building, Muncie, Indiana, for receiving bids on the outside painting of a number of Muncie City School Buildings. Bids are to be returned by June 17th at 2:00 p.m. to E. Arthur Hall, President.

William T. Raymond, Secretary  
H. B. Altman, Superintendent  
June 6 and June 13, 1941

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## Annual Meeting of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, June 2, 1941

Boston, Mass., June 2.—Some 3,000 Christian Scientists from many parts of the world gathered in annual meeting today in Boston were called upon by The Christian Science Board of Directors to consecrate themselves to the defense of the democratic system of government as the best human instrument for preserving the basic rights of mankind to "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

In this definitely alluring this world-wide religious movement with the defenders of democracy everywhere, the Directors stated that it was their conviction that if social and political freedom is to be preserved "democratic forms of government must be maintained."

The occasion for the stirring message of the Directors was the annual meeting of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientists, in Boston, Massachusetts. The Directors stated: "We are moved not by a desire to voice our own views, but to let the world know that we share with our Leader, Mary Baker Eddy, her confidence in the immortality of the sentiment expressed in the Declaration of Independence that 'man is endowed with certain inalienable rights among which are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.'"

Continuing the Directors said: "The preservation and incorporation of these fundamental elements of true democracy in the basic law of every nation is a cause to which all Christians are morally committed, and which we as Christian Scientists are determined to defend."

"This cause, it must be understood, is primarily religious in character and involves something more, much more, than a mere political question. It is, in fact, nothing less than the sacred cause of religious freedom and individual salvation to which the Master himself committed all believers in the Christian faith almost two thousand years ago. In the fulfillment of that obligation we must not and we will not falter."

Referring to the aggressive forces in action today throughout the world, the Directors pointed out that "history plainly teaches that when a nation chooses to ignore God and to make matter the foundation stone of its government, such nation commits its cause to failure, and at the same time provides the means for its destruction."

## Legal Notice

**AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE USE AND OCCUPANCY OF REAL ESTATE BY HOUSE CARS AND SIMILAR VEHICLES UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES WITHIN THE CITY OF MUNCIE, INDIANA**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MUNCIE, INDIANA: That it shall be unlawful for any owner of real estate or person or corporation having control of the use of real estate to permit, with or without consideration, the use and occupancy of such real estate by house cars or vehicles, with or without motive power, equipped for and used as living quarters, within Three Hundred (300) feet of any house or other building or structure used and occupied by persons as a place of residence within the corporate limits of the City of Muncie, Indiana.

Section 2.—Any owner or person or corporation having control of the use of real estate, as provided in Section 1 hereof, who shall violate this ordinance, shall, upon conviction, be fined in any sum not less than Ten Dollars (\$10.00) nor more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for each violation thereof, and the penalty shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to any other penalty provided by law.

Passed by the Common Council of the City of Muncie, Indiana, this 2nd day of June, 1941.  
SAMUEL L. CUNNINGTON, President.

Attest:  
J. Clyde Dunnington, City Clerk.  
Presented by me to the Mayor for his approval and signature this 5th day of June, 1941.  
J. CLYDE DUNNINGTON, City Clerk.  
Approved and signed by me this 5th day of June, 1941.  
IRA J. WILSON, Mayor.  
Attest:  
J. Clyde Dunnington, City Clerk.  
JUNE 6-13

house-cleaning seems to occupy the stage of human thought.

Mrs. Margaret Matfers, retiring President, pointed to the statement of Mary Baker Eddy, as pertinent to this period: "The spiritual status is urging its highest demands on mortals, and material history is drawing to a close" (No and Yes, p. 45).

## Evidences of Spiritual Growth

The Department of Branches and Practitioners indicated in its report that the urge for spiritual refreshment and regeneration goes on despite the world conflict, and in some places the spiritual urge springs from the current need for dependence upon something more substantial than material instruments.

The report of the Treasurer for the fiscal year ending April 30, 1941, showed that the finances of The Mother Church were in sound condition. There was no indebtedness to report except for taxes on property owned in the vicinity of the church payable in October.

## Board of Lectureship

The Board of Lectureship reported that continental Europe and the Far East alone were deprived of their usual Christian Science lectures. Elsewhere the lectures proceeded without interruption excepting in Great Britain and Ireland.

Reporting on the war relief work, Mr. Palmer said that the War Relief Committee in Boston began its work on September 19, 1940. Today over one thousand committees serving as a recognized activity of the branch churches are shipping war relief material to Boston or to one of the three other depots now functioning in New York, Portland, Oregon and Los Angeles.

Reports were heard from various parts of the world indicating to those at the meeting that spiritual progress is being accelerated, rather than diminished, by the rampant forces of material conquest.

## Legal Notice

### NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENTS

State of Indiana ss:  
Delaware County ss:  
In re petition of William H. Shear and Lottie Shear, for adoption of Richard Carlton Fetters, Nancy Carolyn Fetters, and Rebecca Ann Fetters, in the Delaware Circuit Court April Term, 1941.

Notice is hereby given that the said defendant Rema Lois Davis, the plaintiff has filed his complaint herein, together with an affidavit of a disinterested person that the said Carlton Fetters is not a resident of the State of Indiana, and that unless she be and appear on Monday, the 24th day of July, 1941, the 30th day of the present term of said Court at said Court in the Court House in the City of Muncie, Delaware County, State of Indiana, the said cause will be heard and determined in her absence.

WITNESSE, the Clerk and the Seal of said Court, attested at the City of Muncie, the 19th day of May, 1941.  
JESSE E. GREENE, Clerk

John J. Dodd, Plaintiff's Attorney.  
May 23, 30, June 6

## Legal Notice

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS AND TO PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given to the public and to all contractors that the Board of Public Works and Safety of the City of Muncie, Indiana, invites sealed proposals for the construction in said City, according to the Improvement Resolution below mentioned and according to the plans, profiles, drawings and specifications therefor on file in the office of said Board of the following public improvements:

Improvement Resolution No. 833—1941, for the construction of curb and gutter in both sides of West 10th Street from Rochester Avenue to Utica Avenue.

Improvement Resolution No. 824—1941, for the construction of curb and gutter on both sides of 9th Street from Utica Avenue to Batavia Avenue.

Improvement Resolution No. 835—1941, for the construction of curb and gutter on Manhattan Avenue from Memorial Drive to 16th Street.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a non-collusion affidavit as required by Section 95 of Chapter 129 of the Acts of 1905 of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana. All proposals shall be sealed and must be deposited with said Board before the hour of 2:00 o'clock P. M. on the 11th day of June, 1941, and must be accompanied by a certified check payable to said City for a sum equal to five per cent (5%) of the City Civil Engineer's estimate, which shall be forfeited to said City in liquidated damages if the bidder depositing the same shall fail duly and promptly to execute the required contract and bond in case a contract shall be awarded to him on such accompanying proposal. Said Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Board of Public Works and Safety of Muncie, Indiana.  
By WILBUR A. FULL, Clerk.  
May 30, June 6

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Incoming President of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts

## Army Vehicles Have Highway Preference

Like ambulances, fire engines and other emergency conveyances, army vehicles have the right-of-way over passenger and commercial traffic, the Illinois Automobile club reports.

With military and tourist travel increasing, due to America's stepped-up defense program and an enthusiastic vacation season, motorists can help avoid congestion on the highways by exercising a sharp eye for and yielding the right-of-way to military convoys of all types.

A queen bee can lay twice her own weight in eggs within 24 hours.

## Legal Notice

### NOTICE TO DESERTING PARENT OF PETITION TO ADOPT CHILDREN

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"Tsk, tsk, Madam! Take a tip from Servel..."

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## Introduces Richard J. Davis

Introducing Richard J. Davis, C. S. B., who lectured in the Masonic Temple last Friday evening, Mrs. Katherine H. Kootz, Second Reader of First Church of Christ, Scientist, this city, said in part:

In the Bible in 11 Corinthians, Paul writes, "Thanks be unto God for his unspeakable gift," and Christian Scientists the world over are thankful to God for the gift of Christian Science.

Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of this Science, has extended to mankind many precious gifts, the first of which is "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," the text book of Christian Science, which is studied in conjunction with the Bible.

Another gift is the publication of authorized Christian Science literature. The Christian Science Monitor, an international daily newspaper; the Journal, the Sentinel, and the French, German, and Scandinavian Heralds. Included in the Sentinel are testimonies of Christian Science healing which have been fully verified.

A testimony which appeared in this particular publication several years ago, told of a young girl who was healed, through Christian Science treatment in less than a week, of a physical condition which has been pronounced by an X-Ray specialist to be tuberculosis of the spine. This healing occurred over sixteen years ago, and was my introduction into the study of Christian Science, for I was that girl.

Still another of Mrs. Eddy's gifts is the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts. Mr. Richard J. Davis of San Jose, California, a member of the Board of Lectureship, has been invited to address you.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"God, the Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 8.

The Golden Text is: "Great and marvellous are thy works, Lord God Almighty; just and true are thy ways, thou King of Saints" (Revelation 14:3).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And God made the beast of the earth after his kind, and cattle after their kind, and every thing that creepeth upon the earth after his kind; and God said that it was good, and God saw that it was good, and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth" (Genesis 1:25, 26).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passages from the Christian Science textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "All of God's creatures, moving in the harmony of Science, are harmless, useful, indestructible" (p. 514). "God fashions all things, after His own likeness . . . man, made in His likeness, possesses and reflects God's dominion over all the earth" (p. 516).

## Delaware County Claims \$7,016 for April Insurance

Temporarily jobless workers in Delaware county claimed \$7,016 in unemployment insurance benefits during the month of April this year, Richard E. Haugh, manager of the Muncie office of the Indiana Employment Security Division, said today.

In comparison, employees in this county drew \$14,049.50 in March, this year, and \$35,132.85 in April, 1940.

The defense boom, creating new jobs and higher pay rolls, has resulted in a sharp decline in benefit claims in the state, according to information received by the local manager from Wilfred Jessup, director of the Employment Security Division.

For April, 1941, Indiana workers drew \$357,932 in employment compensation benefits, 54 per cent less than the \$787,169 paid out in April, 1940. In March of this year, \$566,751 was claimed in benefits.

Of the benefits paid in this county during April \$433 was drawn by residents in the rural part of the county; \$6,097 by residents of Muncie; \$108.00 by residents of Albany; \$278 by residents of Eaton.

### GIRLS' SCHOOL CELEBRATES

Salt Lake City, Utah.—One of the oldest denomination girls' schools in the west has observed the 60th anniversary of its founding in Salt Lake City. Rowland hall was established in 1880 by Bishop Daniel Sylvester Tuttle, pioneer Episcopal leader in Utah.

### FAMOUS TRAIL USED

A famous trail of the gold rush days of the 90's is used by Canadian tractor and teams hauling material for a huge airport to see air traffic between Edmonton, Alberta and Alaska.

## FOUR BIOGRAPHIES OF MARY BAKER EDDY

Retrospection and Introspection  
Mrs. Eddy's Autobiography

The Life of Mary Baker Eddy  
By Sibyl Wilbur

Mary Baker Eddy: A Life Size Portrait  
By Dr. Lyman P. Powell

Christian Science and Its Discoverer  
By E. Mary Ramsay

These Books are Available at  
Christian Science Reading Rooms  
and Public Libraries

## A Lecture on Christian Science

Entitled  
Christian Science:  
The Understanding of Man's Oneness with God

by  
Richard J. Davis, C.S.B.  
of San Jose, California

Member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

Mental freedom, continuity of health and happiness are conditions that every human being instinctively desires but has seldom seemed to attain in any satisfactory measure. For centuries men have worked and struggled for freedom. They have sought in many directions for health and they have tried various ways to find happiness, but the evidence before us today would indicate that no degree of success has attended humanity's search for these legitimate and altogether desirable states of being.

It must be apparent to anyone who thoughtfully considers the subject that, if the race had demonstrated the necessary intelligence and understanding, it would have long since attained its goal, and that what is needed is obviously more light—enlightenment. The progress of humanity seems to be slow, but it is inevitable, and it appears in direct proportion to its acquirement of greater spirituality. In other words, the progress of the race is really dependent on its increased spiritual understanding and its abandonment of false religious ideas.

There is no light shining before you tonight, with the message of Christian Science, it is encouraging and reassuring to recall the words of Isaiah: "The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light; they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined." Today there are thousands of people who for years have stumbled and walked in mental darkness, and who, figuratively and literally, have lived in the shadow and dread of death, but who are now emerging into the light of truth. There is no intelligent understanding of God, and of what being really means.

It is clear that great discoveries and light along any line come to those most mentally prepared to receive them. An inventor receives the unfolding of new mechanical ideas because his thought has been turned in the specific direction to receive them. So it is with spiritual revelation. That state of consciousness most devoid of materiality will be the one most naturally receptive of God to man. Mary Baker Eddy, the revered Discoverer of Christian Science, had from childhood been a seeker after God. Her thought inclined naturally towards the things of Spirit; in other words, she was a spiritually-minded woman. It is not surprising, therefore, that the great facts of God and divine Being, as set forth in the teachings of Christian Science, should have appeared to her. They appeared because she was spiritually ready to receive them, and in our own study they will appear to you and me in proportion to our readiness to take them in. The Revelator, describing this call of the Christ at the door of consciousness, wrote, "Behold, I stand at the door, and knock; if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in, and will sup with him, and he with me."

Prior to her discovery, Mrs. Eddy had for twenty years or more been endeavoring to trace all of what might be termed physical effects back to a mental cause. In 1866, culminating in her recovery from a severe injury and at a time when she was not expected to live, she perceived the great and irrefutable fact that God, or causation, is Mind—that divine Mind is the source of all existence or being; that God is self-existent Cause, and that, therefore, all real or actual being is in and of God, and that all true being or existence must be an expression or evidence of one infinite Mind or Intelligence.

The revelation of the Science of Being did not appear at once in its entirety to Mrs. Eddy. It came more or less gradually, but she was continuously conscious that back of the unfolding ideas was divine power. It is important also to note that the appearing to her of these great spiritual facts was supported by reason and demonstration. That is, Mrs. Eddy perceived that her concept of God was intelligent, rational, and logical, and most important of all, that it was usable, practical, and could be demonstrated in the ordinary affairs of human life. In a certain sense, it may be said that everyone who takes up the study of Christian Science follows the same course. First, there is a perception of its truth; second, its reasonableness appears; and then inevitably we discover and demonstrate its practicality. A tree is known by its fruit, and the fruitage of Mrs. Eddy's great life of service to the race is witnessed in the grateful testimony of the thousands who have been healed and regenerated through the study and application of Christian Science.

As far as you and I are concerned, any so-called science remains a closed book if we do not understand it, and no science can be said to be really understood unless it is studied, applied, and in some measure demonstrated. The science of Christian Science would be entirely abstract if experiments were not made in the laboratory, and only those who go into the laboratory and actually demonstrate their knowledge of chemistry may be called practical chemists.

This leads me to say something about your intelligence and thinking capacity. Right now it is our privilege to become spiritual thinkers. The study of Christian Science shows us that since Mind is infinite and man is the embodiment or expression of that Mind, there is no limit to our

reader of Science and Health, are textbook of Christian Science. Mrs. Eddy called it a textbook, and that means that its contents need to be pondered and quietly assimilated through reason and spiritual unfoldment. A real Christian Scientist assimilates and appropriates the inspired contents of the textbook, and then, like the chemist, he goes out into the laboratory of human experience, into his business, his home, and his social life, and there he applies it. Indeed, it can be said that Christian Science, or the understanding of being, is not primarily something about which you and I think, but that sooner or later we have got to actually approximate that understanding. We have got to live it and make it a part of our daily experience.

Many, no doubt, have come to this lecture with something in the nature of a problem. Possibly it is lack of poverty. Possibly it is sickness, or, possibly, the struggle to be free. If such be the case, what, my friends, do you think is the source of much of your trouble? In the light of Christian Science, we see that it is the belief that man is separated from God. No matter what condition or situation any one is in, the belief that he is separated from God is the root of the difficulty. Unwittingly, perhaps, we hold to the traditional concepts of Deity, and certainly if God is regarded as a personal, remote entity, we have no definite way of approaching Him. The only safety, Christian Science declares, is that God is Mind, but that does not mean a distant Mind. It does not mean that the ideas or thoughts of the one infinite Mind come to man from some remote or faraway place. You and I cannot conceive of infinite Mind, but we can understand it. Omnipresent Mind necessarily means all-inclusive consciousness. Indeed, the fact that you are conscious, that you can think, that you express that divine power to reason and know, is the evidence that Mind is present. We even hear it expressed in the phrase, "He had presence of mind."

We see, then, that in Christian Science the infinity and omnipresence of God or Mind is not accepted as a theory, but absolute fact, a fact that may be intelligently and practically applied in meeting whatever our difficulties and problems of human life.

We apply the absolute fact of God's omnipresence to the relative or mistaken belief which says that He is absent or far away. Then it may be asked: Where is the practical connection between divine Mind and man? Christian Science declares that, since divine Mind is the one intelligent cause, all true thought necessarily finds its origin there and only there—that all is infinite Mind and its infinite ideas, or manifestation, and that man, declared in the first chapter of Genesis, is the image and likeness of God, must be the mental image or embodiment of Mind. Indeed, the Icelandic translation of Genesis puts it in just that way. "And God said, Let us make man after our mind and after His likeness; and God shaped man after His mind; and after God's mind shaped He him."

What enables you or me to say, I am, I exist? What enables us to know that fact? Mind. When thinking ceases, does not consciousness also cease? What is man without Mind or ideas? A nonentity or non-existence. As a man "thinks," so he is, and Mrs. Eddy says on page 42 of Science and Health, "The belief that man has existence or mind separate from God is a dying error." Divine ideas do not leave Mind; that is, they are not separate or separated from the Mind in which they exist. They are forever with Mind and partake of the character and substance of Mind. So we understand in Christian Science that man, being the compound idea or full representation of Mind, is forever one with Mind.

It was his understanding of God as the one Mind that enabled Christ Jesus to prove his sonship with God. He perceived that undeniable, absolute fact, the inseparability of God and man. Never at any time did he dissociate himself from his divine source. He constantly declared his unity with God, his unity with Love. He said, "I and my Father are one." To him oneness with divine Being was not a theory. It was a fact to be lived and demonstrated. He recognized quite naturally that God was actually his Mind, and he expressed that spiritual fact. Referring to this, Mrs. Eddy says in Science and Health (p. 136), "Jesus 'claimed no intelligence, action, nor life separate from God.'"

Naturally, if we live, move, and have our very being in God, as Paul declared, the oneness and eternal unity of God and man is established forever. This being the case, let us see how this divine oneness operates in human experience. Suppose, for instance, that the so-called law of heredity has put upon an individual the cruel belief that he is constitutionally weak, lacking in strength, vigor, and power. Is he really so? Or is he? What are the facts? No; they are wholly qualities of divine Mind. And how much of strength and vigor is there if it is not infinite and immeasurable? And where is all this power and strength? Does it reside in some place, and does man have to go somewhere to get it? Not at all! Man, God's image and likeness, is not separated from strength, energy, and power. They are inseparable from him. He is himself the very manifestation and expression of infinite strength and power. Man is the very manifestation of God. Man is God's witness, the proof and evidence that God is.

Sometimes people seem to be afraid to declare their sonship with God. Are you afraid to claim your inseparability from your Father-Mother God? What did Paul mean when he said, "Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus"? If infinite Mind is not your Mind, upon what are you relying for your intelligence and thinking capacity? Right now it is our privilege to become spiritual thinkers. The study of Christian Science shows us that since Mind is infinite and man is the embodiment or expression of that Mind, there is no limit to our

ability to think and know spiritually that we can now claim as ours infinite intelligence, infinite wisdom, infinite understanding. Is it presumptuous to claim that you and I reflect infinite intelligence? You may claim all there is and yet there will still be enough for the rest of us—all this, because Mind is one and infinite.

What is a birthright or a heritage? The dictionary defines it as the right, privilege, or possession that belongs to an heir. Suppose that someone were to tell you that by inheritance a fortune was awaiting you, and that all you needed to do was to claim it. Wouldn't you do so? Or would you sell your birthright, as did Esau, for a mess of pottage? Paul tells us, "The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God; and if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ," and Christian Science awakes us to a realization of our true birthright. The Godly and measurable legacy. If we may compare God's supply of spiritual ideas to a bank, we see that we may every day, every hour, make our right demand on infinite Love or Mind for the intelligence to carry out the bank of infinite Love, and capability to fill our positions in a better way, and to demonstrate progress. There is never a time when the bank of infinite Love will refuse payment. You can write out a check on that bank at any time, and it will never be protested. Moreover, the bank of infinite Love never closes its doors; it is open for the Father's business at all hours. Your check will never come back marked "not sufficient funds." There is always enough, for the resources of the bank of infinite Mind or Love are its capital and funds immeasurable.

What is a failure? What has happened to the thinking of a man who fails, and why has he failed? We recognize that the world is filled with men and women carrying within their hearts the consciousness or fear that they have not succeeded. Possibly they have started out well enough, but somewhere on the road they have run into difficulties. They have reached a point where they find themselves saying: "I can't. I don't know how. I am afraid. I am discouraged. I'm a failure."

Now what is operating here? The belief that man is separated from the source and origin of his intelligence. Through Christian Science we see how failure or lack of success may be scientifically and spiritually overcome. It does not tell a man or woman suffering with the belief or fear of failure, "Just say, 'I can, I can succeed, I am a success,' or something of that kind." That is not the process of Christian Science at all; instead it explains the true nature of God and His creation. If God is the one immeasurable Mind and hence the Mind of man, it follows that man cannot have a failing and incapable Mind. Failure could never originate in nor emanate from the divine Mind. God never made a failure, could not make a failure, never knew a failure, because His universe, including man, is a complete success, finished, and very good.

In demonstrating Christian Science, it is important to understand that we are not two kinds of man. If you have perceived your true identity as a spiritual being, you are conscious, then, that you are not two opposite standpoints. There is no duality in divine metaphysics, and all successful demonstration is from the standpoint of absolute truth. If you are a divine being, and you are, then you are not a human being becoming divine, or a sick man becoming well, even if the testimony of the senses declares that to be the case. Spiritual thinking is not based on sense testimony, but on divine facts.

It is important, therefore, to understand the value of spiritual affirmations. The Apostle Paul tells us that one night, shortly following the resurrection of Jesus, Peter and several of the other disciples had taken a fishing boat out on the Sea of Tiberias and, although they had labored the entire night, their toil had been fruitless. John relates that in the morning Jesus appeared on the shore and questioned them regarding their catch. They replied that they had caught nothing. The Apostle then asked them, "Weigh your net," he said, "on the right side of the ship, and ye shall find it." They cast therefore, and now they were not able to draw it for the multitude of fishes." Mrs. Eddy points out in her textbook an important principle that is drawn from this incident. Have you ever considered how, from the time you wake in the morning until night, you are continuously casting your net? Every one of us is always casting his net on the right or wrong side of the light. We are either affirming and recognizing that which is true, or we are casting our net on the side of materiality, giving recognition to a false sense of being. To be sure, humanity there is every aggressive inducement to accept the picture that the material senses present. We are drawn from this picture, and we are drawn to a very different picture. We are drawn to the side of spirituality, and we are drawn to the side of the absolute truth—the perfection of God and His infinite being.

Mrs. Eddy says (Science and Health, p. 149), "We need to understand the infinitude of divine Science, and demonstrate truth according to Christ." So we see in Christian Science that the whole spirit of its teaching is affirmative, that is, we assert and establish that which is true. As we learn to be affirmative, we are drawing nearer to the infinitude of divine Science. We are learning to cast our net on the affirmative side, on the side of Truth, instead of error. It is, of course, the experience of everyone that the negative, discordant argument tries to present itself. But let us not be discouraged. God has endowed us with divine power to reject that which is untrue and affirm that which is the fact about ourselves and all being. "We must realize," as Mrs. Eddy says in Science and Health (p. 428), "the ability of mental might to offset human mis-

conceptions and to replace them with the life which is spiritual, not material." That "mental might" is, of course, your mental might, as you reflect the divine Mind, which is the Mind of every man.

But someone may say: "Yes, but is there no human mind? Does not Mrs. Eddy refer to the human mind in her writings?" Yes, she does. Mrs. Eddy frequently speaks of the human mind, but never from the standpoint of absolute reality. Her use of the term "human mind" refers solely to the relative, material, and unreal picture which Christian Science seeks to dispel. On page 151 of Science and Health, Mrs. Eddy says, "The human mind is opposed to God," and on the following page in the same book, she declares this so-called mortal or human mind to be a myth. To be sure, she indicates that, as thinking improves, it is evidenced in states and stages of belief, which, for lack of a better term, she calls the human mind; but, first and last, all so-called thinking that is not the expression of absolute Truth or God must be part and parcel of that false, unreal mental state which is ephemeral or human, and which eventually disappears into nothingness, as divine facts are perceived, established, and maintained. Obviously, then, for right results, we do not work from two bases; that is, we cannot claim two minds, one divine and the other human.

One of the most radical declarations of Christian Science and one of the most resisted by human thought, is its statement that disease is unreal. When we declare that disease has no real reality, but exists only as a belief, a faulty mental picture, some people are inclined to be quite disturbed and resistant. And yet it may be asked of those individuals: Do you want to be told that you have a real disease, that you are suffering and may shortly die? Why does one go to a doctor? To have disease made unreal and destroyed. If disease actually exists as a reality, what could anyone do about it? If disease were real, neither Christian Science nor any other method of healing would be of any avail. We would be hopeless. If disease be a fact, can medicine or surgery destroy it?

When we say that disease exists only as belief, we understand that it is primarily mental. Without the kind of thought that would be non-consciousness of disease or pain. In other words, sickness, sin, or discord of any nature appear, and can only appear, as false mental pictures in what is termed human consciousness. We call sickness a claim, but it is a false claim to reality. If it had actual entity, it would be eternal, and all that we call scientific thinking would have no basis. All sickness is, of course, the belief that man is separated from God, the source of his well-being and harmony. The reason why disease and discord disappear under Christian Science prayer or treatment is because they never did have actual existence. The unreality of sickness and disease is based on the scientific and logical knowledge that a self-existent and wholly good cause could not possibly be their origin, and that, therefore, their lack of existence in God or in man, His perfect creation. In order to demonstrate the truth of these statements, you are asked to turn away from the material picture and physical symptoms. You are asked to maintain, both audibly and mentally, that you perceive just the spiritual fact about yourself, and all being, your inseparability from Love, from Life and all that means perfection. You are asked to cast your net on the right side, on the side of Truth instead of error. Develop the habit of thinking correctly about yourself. You say, "I am ill." Now what is this I, that talks for you and me when it says, "I have a headache; I have a pain in my side; I have rheumatism?" Mortal mind or false personal sense. And what is personal sense? It is the mesmeric suggestion that you and I are two separate entities, instead of divine, spiritual ideas of Mind. Corporeal sense is the belief that you have a material existence separate from God. I realize that it takes a certain amount of courage, perception, and even character, to reject the suggestion of corporeal sense, and to refuse to let personal sense speak for us and say, "I am this, or I am that."

But as a matter of fact, what is the I that you or I am? In Science and Health (p. 281) Mrs. Eddy gives this definition of the Ego. "The Ego-man is the reflection of the Ego-God; the Ego-man is the image and likeness of perfect Mind, Spirit, divine Principle." Then she asks, "Are you and the I that I am, is the individual reflection or manifestation of the one and only Ego, and on that basis we can and must declare: 'I am perfectly well, because I am the expression of omniscient divine Mind. I am the embodiment of perfect Being or Spirit.'"

Suppose someone were to ask you the question, "How do you know that you are alive?" What would you answer? You would probably say, "Why, I know I am alive, because I am conscious. I exist. I know I exist. It is through consciousness that I arrive at my perception of being. I am conscious of life. I am positively aware of being. I think, therefore I am." Then does it not follow that your awareness of life is mental?

Life, as revealed by Christian Science, is not something that is here today and gone tomorrow, something from which you and I are separated. Life is as infinite and all-inclusive as Mind, indeed Life is Mind. And if you and I have no life but God, does it not follow that God is our very life and being? Naturally, a distant God might imply a distant, separated source of life, but a present God means that we are present, unending Life—an eternal continuity of being. Now in the same way that we learn to claim our inseparability from Mind, so we perceive that we can and must positively assert and maintain our oneness with the infinity of Life. If Life is infinite, how much have you got? All. Then claim it, insist upon it. And it is everyone's Life, just because it is infinite. We are the very expression of Life, Life in evidence. Even humanly our consciousness of one another is the indis-

putable evidence of Life. Our oneness with Life is not theoretical; it is practical; nor is our eternity or continuity of being to be accepted only as a theory. Eternity is not something you will experience some years from now. If we are ever to experience eternity, we are experiencing it right now. Eternity is not something that begins and ends. It has nothing to do with time. We are in eternity right now, because here and now we are the exemplification of unending Life. Like Melchisedec, every man's true being is "without father," without mother, . . . having neither beginning of days, nor end of life; but made like unto the Son of God; . . . made, not after the law of a carnal commandment, but after the power of an endless life.

As you continue in the study of Christian Science, you will find that the emphasis of its teaching is very definitely laid on the demonstration of life, right here and now. We are concerned very much with living—more abundant living, right here. We are concerned with proving that God's own Life right now, and we are learning in a measure how to express the Life that is God. Naturally, therefore, we do not find it profitable nor expedient to speculate on death, on the future world salvation, or on some future life. On the contrary, we see the wisdom of beginning the demonstration of unending Life, right where we are today. It may also be said that Christian Science does not prepare you and me for death, but it opens up the continuity of life in such a way that there would be no exemplify it, in better health, vigor, and longevity. The belief of death is not truth, but error; and therefore we can never think correctly from the standpoint of death. The probability or inevitability of death could not possibly have any place in Christian scientific thinking. Henry Drummond, for whose spiritual thought Mrs. Eddy had great respect, said one day to a group of students in Yale University: "We come not to save your souls, but to save your lives. We want you to be Christians, not because you might die tonight, but because you are going to live tomorrow." Speaking to these students, he changed the entire emphasis from death to life. It is perfectly obvious, then, that there can be no legitimate expectancy of death, but, on the contrary, the joyous anticipation of unending life.

Everyone instinctively wants to be happy, and yet if you were to ask the average person, "Are you happy?" Are you completely satisfied and contented?" in a large majority of cases the answer would not be affirmative, but negative. Look at the faces of those whom you meet and ponder the crowded streets of the city. Do you see there the evidence of joy and serenity? Very often. As long as man believes he is separated from God, it is also clear that he is separated from happiness.

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If Life is God, it certainly has no dark side—only joy and anticipation of good. Ask yourself: If God is one and infinite good, I there any logical basis for the expectancy of evil? What can come to us from God, good, but good? What must we expect? Good. Good. What tomorrow? Good. Next week, next month, next year? Good, more good; good in infinite measure. It should be noted here, too, that we have a legitimate expectancy of good, not because we simply believe, but because we know that God is good.

Now, where is this good coming from? As a matter of fact, it isn't coming from any place; it is already here. If it came to us from some place, again we would be thinking from the standpoint of a distant God, and there might be some uncertainty as to whether good could reach us. Christian Science shows us that, since good is omnipresent, this good is appearing and constantly appearing right where you and I are thinking. It appears as spiritual, healing, helpful ideas, unfolding in and as your consciousness—the evidence of your inseparability from Mind. This good is coming from within you, and it is the family in that respect. The phrase "artistic temperament" has a fine sound, but it does not work out so well in practice. We have discovered that prima donnas and leading ladies are not the only ones upon whom mortal mind has con-

ferred the artistic temperament. It is a strange thing, too, how people frequently imagine that the artistic temperament is a badge of distinction.

Mortal mind, in its pretense to be a creator, appears to confer upon some human beings a certain amount of artistic ability, and then at the same time loads them down with a lot of afflictive and unlovely qualities, under the name of disposition or temperament. It tries to make us accept the belief that, because a man or woman is inspirational or gifted artistically, he must also be the victim of moods, tantrums, and mercurial emotions. Indeed, false human thinking has saddled upon many great and talented individuals some of the most afflictive beliefs of disposition.

The understanding of man's inseparability from God naturally does away with all of this. It shows us that there could not possibly be such a thing as an afflictive inheritance, through divine temperament. Is it conceivable that the divine Mind could at any time be in a state of up or down? Is depression a characteristic that man reflects from God? Why, my friends, if it were possible for you or me to walk through the corridors of infinite Being, we would never find depression or unhappiness. Joy is the very nature of God's being, and it is forever yours and mine by reflection. Man has no undivided capacity. There is not a single quality or characteristic that he does not possess. He is expressing spiritual power, and, therefore, we see how everyone may legitimately express all the artistic qualities of God, the art of God, and at the same time manifest the purity, peace, and harmony that should logically be allied with spiritual and inspirational spontaneity.

One may be artistic, spontaneous, and inspirational, and still be poised. Poise is a wonderful quality under any circumstances, but it is particularly so as understood in Christian Science. It is that expression of divine Mind which means serenity and the majesty of calmness. When you are expressing spiritual poise, it indicates that you have cast your net on the right side—that you are maintaining and claiming the one Mind as your Mind by reflection. Poise is the indication that you are recognizing one governing divine Principle and law, and that you are letting Principle assert itself as your consciousness.

As long as men believe that they have private minds and private intellects, and permit themselves to be governed by the uncontrolled force of human impulse and will, it is not surprising that this kind of thinking extends itself to the civil and arbitrary form of government. The Psalmist wrote, "The wicked, through the pride of his countenance, will not seek after God: God is not in all his thoughts." And so today, as we contemplate the entire world in a state of fear and discord, and realize the suffering and pain that human will and evil mental manipulation cannot set aside the divine fact that the one Mind alone rules in the kingdom of men and that whether we realize it or not, God alone is the governor among the nations. Through the discipline of human experience, they are being forced to bring God into their thinking. Even if human beings attempt to outlaw God and that which he represents, they cannot annul the inescapable government of divine Principle.

Christian Science reveals the fact that government, if it is to be right, must find its source and expression in the consciousness of the individual, and that as man recognizes himself as the reflection or manifestation of Principle he will be properly self-governed.

What is government? Is it matter or mind? Without mind there would be no government, either good or bad. It is the aggregate thinking of the citizens which determines the kind of government we have humanly, but we must remember that this is only a belief of government. God's government is going on, regardless of what the material senses are attempting to affirm. Right thinking, and that, of course, means thinking that has its basis in divine Mind, constitutes today the actual government of the world. Therefore, in the measure that our thinking approximates the divine standard, we are creating the new, power, and government of the world. Regardless of what appears as government or man-made law, true spiritual knowing is the only potent factor in any situation. We learn, therefore, in Christian Science to spiritually maintain the facts of divine government, and as we do, we must cast out the fears and doubts that would tempt us to believe in the power and reality of evil. "For what nation is there so great, who hath God so high unto them, as the Lord our God is in all things that we call upon him for?"

Today, if we accepted what the testimony of the senses presents, we might be tempted to believe that evil had both place and power in the affairs of mankind; but we are not idolaters. Spiritual understanding demands that we stand squarely on the great command, "Thou shalt have no other gods before me." There are not two Gods—a good God and an evil one. There is just one; and so we stand unwaveringly on the divine fact—one God, one Mind, one government, and one divine consciousness—and work from that great premise.

Spiritual understanding shows us how we may live from the standpoint of infinity, how we may think from the standpoint of infinity. Thinking thoughts of that spiritual attitude can there be such a thing as hate or war in the infinite universe of good? Is it conceivable that infinite Love would express itself in discord or conflict? Is infinite Spirit having a world depression or economic turmoil? If we lift our thoughts to the hills of spiritual revelation whence truly cometh our help, what do we see and recognize? Just one infinite consciousness, declaring and uttering its divine glory, in harmony and order; infinite Love, expressing itself in abundance of good, and peace for all.



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## How About Waste?

In one of his recent columns, David Lawrence pointed out a great and often overlooked danger in the government's present spending program.

"Drastic taxation—the most severe America has ever experienced—is planned," he wrote. "And yet not a word is heard about cutting out wasteful expenditures."

"If the American people submit to a tax program such as is being rightly proposed to finance defense and still permit spending-as-usual on projects that can be omitted or else postponed, it will mean that the day of reckoning will bring an economic depression in the United States far more perilous than that of 1929."

"Scarcely a week passes that there isn't some impetus given to projects which are being planned on a big scale which have relatively little to do with defense, but which are being dragged into the picture with defense as an excuse. . . . Only an alert and aroused public opinion can do something about it—and maybe the nation will have to organize its own economy campaign and make it an issue in the congressional elections of 1942."

Mr. Lawrence doesn't just criticize—he points to definite places where major cuts in government spending are both possible and desirable. The Chamber of Commerce of the United States has just passed resolutions asking that at least \$2,000,000,000 be saved annually by curtailing non-defense spending, and devoting this money to defense needs, holding down debt or tax requirements by that amount.

Mr. Lawrence goes to the heart of the matter when he says that only the American people can do anything about this situation. They are willing to spend any amount necessary for defense. Are they willing to make unprecedented tax and debt sacrifices merely to pay for political luxuries, for experiments in that socialism, for a bigger and bigger bureaucracy, or for any activity which is not absolutely unavoidable? Governmental waste at some future time.

## Wool In the War

It has been estimated that consumption of wool in the United States during 1941 may total 900-million pounds for both civilian and military needs. Average annual domestic production of wool is about 450-million pounds. Despite this fact, however, latest available reports indicate that wool available from Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Argentina and Uruguay, will be more than adequate to make up the difference. Although North America has never produced enough wool to meet her total domestic requirements, and has consistently imported, in the past, from the Australian countries and South America, the present national defense effort has made the question of the international wool supply one of extreme importance to this country—particularly to the armed services.

It is interesting to note in this respect that wool—perhaps the oldest known natural clothing protection since the dawn of civilization—has persisted through the ages as an essential necessity of mankind in both war and peace. Much of the credit is due to the sheep, but it is also true that wool growers throughout the world during the past quarter of a century have spent much of their collective time and ingenuity in devising methods to improve the quality of wool produced through research on the problems of breeding and feeding of sheep and the treatment of the wool after shearing.

The fact that both British and American military authorities have repeatedly emphasized the value of wool to maintain the health of officers and men constitutes a convincing testimonial, both to the age-old superiority of wool itself and to the success of wool growers in maintaining and heightening this superiority. Particularly active during the past four years in research into the development of wool have been the growers' organizations in Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. Under the direction of the International Wool Secretariat, extensive research has been conducted which has done much to improve the qualities of wool.

As a further testimonial to the usefulness of wool in war as a means of preventing illness among the civilian and military population, the British War Relief Society, Bundles for Britain and the Canadian Maple Leaf Fund, war relief organizations in the United States, have reported that shipments of wool to England—consisting of yarn, knitted goods and blankets and clothing—are among their most important relief activities. Since the start of the war, the British War Relief Society has shipped approximately 36,000 cases of wool clothing and 550,000 pounds of wool for knitting. Bundles for Britain shipped a total of 1,500,000 garments and blankets consisting chiefly of wool. The Canadian Maple Leaf Fund estimates it will ship a minimum of 50,000 blankets this year.

## Monument to American Medicine

Outside a famous Southern city there is an old cemetery where the dead of long-past generations lie buried. There are 1,396 graves in that cemetery—and in only four cases were the persons buried there more than 45 years old at the time of death. In other words, only one-fifth of one per cent of them reached what in these modern times is regarded as the prime of life.

There could be no more graphic illustration of what American medicine and American medical science have done for the health of America. One hundred and fifty years ago the life expectancy of man in the United States was 35 years. Today it is 62 years.

That has been the result of endless striving, under a free system of medicine which gives every doctor, every scientist, the chance to achieve to the very utmost of his abilities and energies. Researchers in great laboratories—specialists in big cities—country doctors in villages and hamlets—all have contributed. They have spent their lives working to make the lives of others longer, fuller, happier.

In those hundred and fifty years typhoid fever has almost disappeared; smallpox has been subdued; diphtheria has been practically conquered; tuberculosis has been robbed of much of its terror. The monument to American medicine is written in the standards of health of the American people—standards which are not equaled anywhere else on earth.

## Europe Is Too Hot

Only 205,000 residents of the United States went overseas last year, while in 1939 there were 394,000. Evidently, Americans are doing a better job than usual in "seeing America first," and that ought to be good for them.

## STOKOWSKI TO HAVE WELCOME

Indiana Will Greet Noted Musician At Indianapolis

With more than half the countries in Indiana represented by ticket orders, the June 10 concert by the famous conductor Leopold Stokowski and his All-American Youth Orchestra, promises to be an All-Indiana musical affair.

Co-sponsored by the 33 chapters of the Indiana Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Indiana State Symphony Society, the concert will be played in the Butler University Stadium (in the Field House if it rains) at 8:15 p. m. Tuesday, June 10. All details of the concert are being handled at the Murat Theater headquarters of the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra.

Mr. Stokowski, whose name spells "magic" in the world of music, was born in London, in 1887, of Polish parentage. He came to this country when he was 19 years old, as music director of St. Bartholomew's church in New York, a position which he held for 2 years and left only to go on a European tour as guest conductor of the great continental symphony orchestras. During the summer of his twenty-first year he was conducting in Paris when representatives of the Cincinnati symphony orchestra attended one of his concerts and immediately engaged him as conductor of that group.

His career in Cincinnati was short-lived because he was offered the leadership of the Philadelphia Orchestra with the challenge to revive its slipping prestige. During the more than 25 years he was at the head of the Philadelphia group he made it into one of the great symphonic organizations the world has ever known, and it was during those years that his own ability and personality were accorded the international fame they hold today. He is, of course, an American citizen.

Several years ago he became so intensely interested in the subject of "music for the masses" and in the cause of American music in general, that he began to divide his work between the Philadelphia Orchestra and his new interest. Through the medium of motion pictures (notably "10 Men and a Girl" and Walt Disney's "Fantasia"), the radio, recordings and the All-American Youth Orchestra, he has perhaps done more than any other conductor to popularize symphonic music with the general public.

The orchestra which he will bring June 10 for its only appearance in Indiana is a "youth" orchestra only in the sense that the majority of its members are between the ages of 18 and 25. Technically, and in interpretative facilities, they are acknowledged to be the equals of musicians in any of this country's major symphony orchestras. Under Mr. Stokowski's baton the 110-American-born musicians have, by general critical acknowledgment, taken their place as one of the world's greatest musical groups.

"Indiana's 3,000,000 residents will have only one opportunity to hear Mr. Stokowski in this state," said Franklin Miner, manager of the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra, and they are eagerly taking advantage of it."

## MINERAL HUNTS GO ON AT NIGHT

Fallon, Nev.—Night prospectors with fluorescent lamps are hunting scheelite, from which tungsten, a strategic war mineral, is obtained in a 20-mile belt in this area.

Hundreds of claims have been staked out during recent months. The region including Pershing, Churchill and northern Mineral counties, according to mining engineers, shows more mineralization from metamorphic contact than any other opened in the Far West.

The nation's largest tungsten producer, the Nevada-Massachusetts company at Mill City, was cited as being near the north end of this mineralized region. Tungsten is used in steel manufacture.

The night prospectors hunt scheelite with lamps after first having scanned the hillsides for granite and limestone contacts. In the daytime they spot croppings at the contact points, later to give them the lamp test at night.

The lamps at night bring out luminous spots of scheelite.

Cye Cox last year discovered several croppings of scheelite south of the Dan Tucker mine near Sand Springs and since then prospectors have been busy south to and beyond Dead Horse Wells. Location work has been completed on many of the claims.

Several of the ledges have assayed one per cent or better. Picked samples have shown extremely high values.

Cox has located 31 croppings along two groups of claims which extend in an east and west direction for two miles. Most of these lie in masses rather than in veins, one bulk standing 20 feet high and 20 feet across. The exposed rocks were thickly sprinkled with bright freckles about the size of a half dollar. Another series of croppings Cox pointed out was 600 feet long. This appeared to be a vein in the lime-granite contact.

## This Week In Defense

— From Office Of Government Reports —

Federal Loan Administrator Jones announced the allocation of \$650,000,000 for use in enlarging and speeding the bomber program by building Government-owned plants and increasing the supply of essential materials.

The War Department announced the award of contracts totaling \$322,500,000 for 23-ton bombers to be produced at new Government-owned plants at Fort Worth, Tex., and Tulsa, Okla. The Department described the award of the contracts as a "major step toward the 500 bombers a month goal" set by the President when he said the democracies must achieve superiority in the air. OPM Director Knudsen asked airplane manufacturers to prepare to make an undisclosed additional number of heavy bombers.

The Navy reported its air program "slightly ahead of schedule" with 3,500 planes on hand May 1, as compared with 2,172 ten months before. The Department said that by January, 1942, its training program will supply sufficient pilots for 15,000 planes, its goal.

The Maritime Commission announced the delivery of seven new ships, an addition of 50,200 tons, to the American merchant fleet. The Senate and House enacted legislation authorizing the President to requisition foreign shipping immobilized in U. S. ports. Maritime Commission Chairman Land asked newspaper editors, radio stations and other sources of public information to withhold news of merchant ships used to aid Britain and other democracies.

Aid To Europe President Roosevelt authorized the dispatch of two merchant ships to Ireland with \$500,000 worth of food for distribution to civilians under supervision of the Red Cross. The ships will sail under Irish registry with Irish crews.

Civilian Defense President Roosevelt established an Office of Civilian Defense and appointed New York's Mayor LaGuardia as Director to carry out programs for the protection of life and property in an emergency with the volunteer help of men, women and children of the nation. Director LaGuardia said volunteers would be organized to protect vital utilities in the event of an attack, carry on first aid and deal with problems of welfare, evacuation, housing and food. FBI Director Hoover announced that 150,000 local law enforcement officers are being enlisted in a voluntary plan to rout fifth columnists.

Cost of Living Labor Secretary Perkins announced a 2.2 per cent rise in the cost of living in larger cities above the 1935-1939 average and 3.7 per cent above August, 1939, just prior to the European war. She said food prices were up 5 per cent over last autumn, rents up 0.3 per cent in the last month, and clothing up 2.2 per cent. The Labor Department reported, however, the earnings of workers in the manufacturing industries advanced to new high levels—5.4 per cent more than March, 1940, with average hourly earnings at 69.7 cents, or \$29.11 a week.

Selective Service Congress amended the Selective Service Act to exempt from service under the Act former regulars and reservists of the Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard. Deputy Director Hershey announced that although the Army has sufficient dental and veterinary officers, dentists and veterinarians and students in these professions should be deferred to avoid a civilian shortage.

The OPM informed Selective Service Headquarters there will soon be a shortage in the metal-working trade and urged deferments to avoid this. OPM pointed out that when a skilled worker is inducted, the plant loses not only the individual but also the time of a skilled man needed to train a replacement.

Labor Disputes OPM Associate Director Hillman, speaking in New York, said there are no insoluble problems in management-labor relations. . . . that must be eliminated "to create the 'mutual trust which must animate any sound labor policy.' Cooperation will result, he said, when labor problems are treated not as a

"nuisance" but "worthy of serious study and consideration."

Public Attitude William Batt, Deputy Defense Production Director, speaking in Washington, said OPM, War and Navy officials are not satisfied with defense progress.

"I do not want a single man or woman to feel we are right on the verge of becoming the arsenal of democracy," Mr. Batt said. "We cannot produce . . . and preserve our standard of living in terms of electric conveniences and leisure hours. A radical change of attitude must take place if we are to make good our promises to the defenders of freedom . . ."

Mr. Batt said business must be willing to expand without immediate regard for individual futures, labor must forget its differences in deference to more work, and Government must not allow politics or bureaucracy to interfere with defense.

Foreign Affairs Agriculture Secretary Wickard, speaking at Hutchinson, Kansas, said . . . in Latin America many countries are watching to see whether we will make good our promise or . . . simply talk and gesture . . . Millions of Britons are watching us who can't go on unless our help is made effective. The Nazis and Fascists are watching us and every sign of indecision and division fills them with joy. If we simply talk . . . they'll rule the world."

War Secretary Stimson and Navy Secretary Knox told their press conferences the Neutrality Act, which prohibits American shipping in combat zones, should be repealed and the U. S. should return to the former policy of freedom of the seas. Addressing the Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, Mr. Knox said the U. S. must be prepared to make sacrifices that will match any sacrifices made by any generation of Americans before us."

Secretary of State Hull, speaking in Washington, said control of the seas is a prime objective of the Axis and its program for world domination. Should the Axis succeed, Mr. Hull said, all countries will face economic enslavement and control of international business by military and political forces.

Foreign Trade President Roosevelt, opening Foreign Trade Week, said "the dictator nations already have achieved serious economic encirclement of the U. S." He said all Americans should fight against the economic slavery to which Germany and her allies would subject the world.

Raymond Geist, State Department Chief of Commercial Affairs, speaking in New York, said the international situation poses the question whether the peril confronting the nation "lies more in the struggle itself or in the cancerous post-war economic processes" of an unfair peace. He said it would be fatal if Germany won because the U. S. would be compelled to adopt economic methods which would slowly undermine our prosperity and our democratic way of life." Secretary of State Hull said that after the war all nations should cooperate in international trade free from discrimination.

Other Activities Congress increased the pay of parachute troop officers by \$100 a month and the pay of enlisted parachutists by \$50 a month, and authorized training of enlisted men as pilots. . . . The Army announced testing of secret methods of combatting blitz warfare. . . . The Treasury sold \$257,650,000 of Defense Bonds in the first 17 days—"better than expected" . . . The President reduced his request for relief funds for 1942 by \$109,000,000. . . . The Commerce Department reported exports to Japan falling 48 per cent less than last year.

Michigan Youth Air-Minded Randolph Field, Tex.—The State of Michigan placed the largest number of flying cadets in the newest class at Randolph Field, the army has announced. Michigan led the list of states with 40, Texas was second with 38 while Illinois with 36 and California with 32 followed closely behind.

## SOLDIERS GET RUBBER HEELS

New Footwear Is More Comfortable And Durable

Akron, O., June 6.—Footwear for soldiers of the new mechanized army of the United States has undergone improvements as important as those being made in their fighting equipment, with the adoption of rubber heels for field shoes as standard equipment. During the World war not a single pair of regulation army shoes used rubber, but in 1940 the army began buying shoes with rubber heels for enlisted personnel.

Recently War Department orders for 2,500,000 pairs of new field shoes carried rubber heel specifications for the entire lot and 550,000 pairs are to be supplied with combination rubber and cotton soles as well.

Investigators report that severe tests have demonstrated rubber will outwear even the rugged hobnailed shoe of the first World war, make hiking easier as a result of additional cushioning for the feet and reduce the cost of the shoes. During the first World war, neither rubber heels nor soles were used on shoes of the American army. Sailors of the United States fleet have been using rubber-heeled shoes for some time.

Adoption of rubber heels and soles for army footwear is a corollary to the mechanization of the land fighting forces and likewise follows a trend in the civilian shoe trade that has been increasingly evident in recent years. Rubber tires are being used on all manner of military vehicles to provide cushioning and make high speeds possible. Even such heavy weapons as the new M-3 medium (28-ton) tank, roll on rubber track treads.

Yearly average production of shoes for civilian use in the United States is more than 400,000,000 pairs, of which roughly 50 per cent are on rubber heels. This percentage is attained in spite of the fact that a very large percentage of women's shoes, particularly of the high-heeled variety, do not use rubber heels originally.

## TRAINEES FROM MANY JOBS

El Paso, Tex.—In the first group of draftees reporting at Fort Bliss were: A truck driver, petroleum engineer, typewriter repairman, geologist, painter, typesetter, cotton farmer, dairy farmer, surveyor, harness maker and typist.

PEEPER AT WRONG WINDOW Gilroy, Cal.—Peter Mendez, 24-year-old Mexican, peeped into the wrong window. It was that of Policeman Norman Goodrich. After that, he peeped from behind bars.

## U. S. Will Increase Its Regular Army

An increase in the nation's regular Army three-year enlistments to 500,000 by June 30 or an advance of almost 45,000 over present actual strength was authorized today by the War Department, Fifth Corps Area Headquarters announced at Fort Hayes, Columbus, O.

Corps Area Headquarters today predicted that the total Army increase would boost its recruiting quota for Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia and Indiana by at least 5,000 or one-ninth of the total sought. Each of the eight other Army Corps Areas throughout the country probably would receive similar quotas.

The War Department announcement indicated, however, that each Corps Area would be permitted to accept enlistments above its requisition for possible adjustments in order to meet the national quota by June 30.

As of April 15, the entire Army's actual three-year enlisted strength totaled 455,146. Corps Headquarters spokesmen emphasized the opportunities for three-year enlistment applicants to choose their branch of service and station assignment. Three-year volunteers are permitted, this choice while selectees are assigned strictly in accordance with the routine classification system.

Applications under the expanded quota—expected mostly for the Air Corps—now are being accepted at all Army recruiting stations. Volunteers must be unmarried male citizens 18 to 35 years old. Air Corps applicants must have completed the eighth grade of grammar school and pass a classification test.

## Time Pay Plan Used In Buying Small Planes

San Francisco.—Financing of the private purchases of light airplanes on virtually the same basis as automobile financing has assured a new and extensive field for bank lending, according to L. M. Giannini, president of the Bank of America.

Giannini bases his statement on a six-month tryout by his banking chain. The plan included not only the purchase of private airplanes, but the financing of private airplan maintenance, student pilot training, and expenses in connection with flight training under the Civil Aeronautics Authority.

The sun total, he said, was more than \$1,000,000 worth of new business in this new field, which, in this case, was confined to southern California. Most of the business, he said, came from the suburban areas rather than the metropolitan districts.

## DEFENSE MUST MAINTAIN LABOR

Leader Says Fair Play And Good Conditions Are Demanded

Sidney Hillman, associate director of the Office of Production Management, went before an audience of employers in New York this week and told them point-blank that national defense is to make real progress they must deal fairly with labor.

The meeting was called by the National Industrial Conference Board and it was told by Hillman that, for the sake of national defense, employers must "wholeheartedly accept labor's right to bargain collectively through representatives of its own choosing."

"In this process the worker acquires a greater sense of responsibility," Hillman said. "What this attitude of mind means to the success of our defense program cannot be overestimated. In this way we broaden the base of democracy at the very time we are seeking to defend it."

Manual for Bosses Hillman also called upon employers to pay a fair wage scale based on industry's earning power and a decent standard of living; to keep down the work week, so more unemployed workers may be hired; to provide decent working conditions in their plants, and to end all forms of discrimination against workers because of race, creed or color.

Because a satisfied working force is so important, Hillman also suggested that every corporation assign competent, intelligent executives to handle labor relations.

"Their role must be considered at least as important as that of sales managers or financial officers," Hillman said. "If such executives are given authority corresponding to the importance of their job, the cause of national defense will be immensely put forward."

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